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Colonel Robert A. Schow, USA Headquarters, EUCOM APO 757 c/o Postmaster New York, N. Y.

Dear Bobbie:

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I have just had a visit from

is a correspondent for

to me with a proposition that he interview some of the Soviet deserters that he alleges are now in hiding in the American Zone in Germany. I told him that we had no authority over there and that that was purely a function of the Theater Commander. He then informed me that he had met you before and asked me to write you a letter, saying that he was coming. I could not help agreeing to that, so this is the letter. When he comes, please tell him I have written you, but for your own information I think you should be a little careful of him.

This is merely to assure you that regardless of what he may say he is not working for us, and we have given him no information.

All of us are looking forward to your return which, from rumors around here, is supposed to be some time this number. Janie and I will certainly be delighted to see the family and yourself. Meanwhile, with best wishes, believe me,

Always,

s/ Hilly - Disp via ARMY POUCH 4/30 thru Cen. Records

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